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Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension, a petition pursuant
to 37 CFR 1.136(a) and a requisite fee being enclosed.

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 23, 2001, please amend
the above-referenced patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the first full paragraph beginning at page 1, line 4, with the
following written paragraph:

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